A public hearing <u>has been requested and will be conducted</u> on October 23, 2012, at 1:30 p.m., at the Upper Missouri District Health Unit – Conference Room, 110 West Broadway, Williston, ND, regarding the Draft Permit described below, for a special waste landfill under North Dakota solid waste management rules.

NORTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PUBLIC NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT ON DRAFT PERMIT FOR RENEWAL AND MODIFICATION OF A SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITY PERMIT UNDER THE NORTH DAKOTA SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT RULES

FACILITY NAME: Dishon Disposal, Inc. – Permit 0079

APPLICANT: Terry Dishon, 15242 39th Lane NW, Williston, ND 58801

BACKGROUND:

On July 26, 2012, the Department received a revised solid waste management facility permit renewal and modification application from Dishon Disposal, Inc (DDI) for their solid waste management facility located north of Buford in a portion of the N1/2 of Section 30, Township 153N, Range 103W in Williams County. DDI is proposing to laterally and vertically expand the facility's eastern boundary to include an additional approximately 8.2-acre landfill unit and an associated surface impoundment unit for containing runoff from the proposed landfill. DDI is also proposing to increase the amounts of waste accepted. The existing waste piles, surface impoundments and landfill units at the present facility will be closed during the 2013 calendar year. The facility will continue to be used for the temporary storage and long-term disposal of oilfield exploration and production (E&P) wastes, other oily waste materials (industrial waste), inert waste, and would include a temporary waste pile/treatment piles unit, special and small volume industrial waste landfill units, and surface impoundment units (one future pond and two existing ponds to be closed).

The Department believes that a permit which meets the requirements of the North Dakota Solid Waste Management Rules and is protective of human health and the environment can be issued to Dishon Disposal Inc., and has prepared a Draft Permit for public review and comment.

PUBLIC COMMENTS AND HEARING

As required by Section 33-20-03.1-03 of the North Dakota Administrative Code, the Draft Permit will be available for public review and comment for thirty (30) days following publication of the Public Notice. Public comment begins Sunday, October 7, 2012 and ends Tuesday, November 6, 2012. During that period any interested person may submit written comments and request a public hearing by stating the nature of the specific issues to be raised. If the Department determines that there is sufficient public interest pertinent to the proposed permit modification and a hearing is requested, a public hearing will be conducted on October 23, 2012

at 1:30 p.m., at the Upper Missouri District Health Unit – Conference Room, 110 West Broadway, Williston, ND.

If sufficient interest is not raised and a hearing is not requested by October 19, 2012, the hearing will not be conducted. Please check http://www.ndhealth.gov/DoH/PublicNotices.aspx or call the Department at 1-701-328-5166 on or after October 19, 2012 for confirmation of the hearing. The North Dakota Department of Health will consider all comments prior to taking any action on the permit. Comments, questions and written communication should be directed to:

Scott A. Radig, P.E., Director North Dakota Department of Health Division of Waste Management 918 East Divide Avenue, 3rd Floor Bismarck, ND 58501-1947

The Draft Permit and Permit Application are available for review during the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, at the North Dakota Department of Health, Division of Waste Management, 918 East Divide Avenue, 3rd Floor, Bismarck, ND. A copy of this Public Hearing Notice is also on the Department's website at: http://ndhealth.gov

Anyone requiring special access or accommodations to review the Draft Permit may contact the Department at 701-328-5166.